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PATENT APPLICATION

FEE AUTHORIZATION / AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER				Attorney's Docket No: 2982-A		
Serial No. 10/033,522	Filing Date October 18, 2001	Examiner J. Andres	Group Art Unit 1646			
In Re Application of Kendall M. Mohler						
For METHODS FOR TREATING RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS USING IL-17 ANTAGONISTS						
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant(s) request(s) the following extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a):						
<input type="checkbox"/> One month of original due date (\$110.00)						
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months of original due date (\$420.00)						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months of original due date (\$950.00)						
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months of original due date (\$1,480.00)						
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months of original due date (\$2,010.00)						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is filed herewith.						
<input type="checkbox"/> has been filed.						
<input type="checkbox"/> The response is the filing of a continuing prosecution application, the prior application having an express abandonment conditioned on the granting of a filing date to the continuing application.						
<input type="checkbox"/> The accompanying papers include amended claims for which no additional fee is required.						
<input type="checkbox"/> The accompanying papers include amended claims the fee for which has been calculated as follows:						
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
(1)	(2) Claims remaining After amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number Previously paid for	(5) No. of Extra claims present	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total Claims	*	Minus	** =	0	x \$18	= \$ 0.00
Indep. Claims	*	Minus	*** =	0	x \$86	= 0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> First Appearance of a multiple dependent claim					+	\$290 = 0.00
Total Additional Fee for this Amendment					\$0.00	
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The "Highest No. Previously Paid For" (Total or Indep.) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in Col 1. of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.						
<input type="checkbox"/> The following other fees are incurred by the accompanying papers.						
<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____						
Please charge Deposit Account No. 09-0089 in the name of Immunex Corporation in the amount of \$ 950.00. A duplicate copy of this petition is attached.						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a request therefore.						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by the accompanying papers, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 09-0089.						
Please Send Future Correspondence To:						
Immunex Corporation Law Department 1201 Amgen Court West Seattle, Washington 98119-3105 (206) 265-7000				James E. Klaniacki Attorney/Agent for Applicant Registration No.: 38,207 Phone: (206) 265-4145 Date: March 16, 2004		

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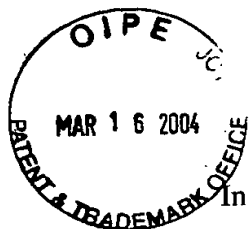
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AMENDMENT AND REPLY

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action having a September 17, 2003 mailing date, Applicant respectfully submits this Response, a Declaration under 37 C.F.R. §1.131 and accompanying Exhibit, a Petition for a 3-month extension of time, an Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO 1449 and cited references.

Applicant notes that our previous Amendment and Reply did not provide the text of the withdrawn claims, as required under the new rules. Even though no claims are being added, deleted or amended, Applicant wishes to provide the Examiner with a proper claim listing.

The listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.